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Applicant(s): Mahendra R. Patel, et al.

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## AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

MAIL STOP AIF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 19, 2007, the Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments to the claims of the present application be entered on the grounds that they place the application in condition for allowance.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.